

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q65488

Masao MINOBE, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/810,523

Group Art Unit: 2872

Confirmation No.: 6184

Examiner: Thong Q. NGUYEN

Filed: March 19, 2001

For: OPTICAL MICROSCOPE APPARATUS USING CONVERGENT BEAM AS
ILLUMINATION LIGHT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

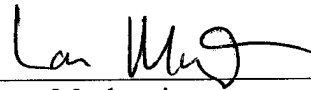
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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 6, 2007 to July 6, 2007.

The USPTO is directed and has been authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$120.00, as well as all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via the EFS Fee Payment Screen. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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